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ALL EYES TURN TO PORTO RICO

Commodore Sampson's Turn Has Come.

Spanish Warships Known to be There.

The Authorities at Washington Expect to Hear Promptly if a Naval Engagement Occurs.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—It is now officially admitted that Admiral Sampson was yesterday with his fleet near Cape Haytien, on the north coast of Santo Domingo, and distant about a day's run from Porto Rico. Today no reports have come to the department of any "imrid engagements" that are said to have taken place in those waters; but it is said at the department that if there was gun firing yesterday and the day before, as reported by merchant vessels, it was probably caused by some of the United States vessels chasing either prizes or the small Spanish gunboats that are believed to be cruising around in those waters.

It is not believed that there has been any engagement between Admiral Sampson's forces and the Spanish ironclad flying squadron, else reports would have been received already at the department. Expectation is manifest at the navy department that something important is to happen soon. It is imagined that if Sampson does not strike the Spanish flying squadron he may strike a blow at Porto Rico itself. It is a curious fact that thus far the navy department does not know positively where the Spanish fleet is and it is just possible that the vessels may be away over on the other side of the Atlantic, or at Cadiz, instead of being in Sampson's neighborhood in the West Indies.

That such a thing can happen is plainly shown by the report from St. Thomas that the Spanish cruiser Alfonso XIII arrived at Porto Rico yesterday or the day before. This is a formidable protected cruiser of modern type, and it has been supposed all along that she was at Cadiz, Spain, forming part of the home defense squadron. The fact that she has arrived at Porto Rico without knowledge of her departure having leaked out is an evidence that the Spanish authorities are able to guard the secrecy of their naval movements much better than our own people are able to do.

Word came to the navy department today that the cable had been cut between Montevideo and Rio Grande de Sur, thus cutting off all communication along the east coast of South America, below the first and last named points in the south of Brazil. If this were not an accident it would be hard to guess at the purpose, the Oregon having passed far north of the break. It is just possible that Spanish emissaries have cut the cable to conceal some naval demonstration or movements of Spanish ships in that quarter of the world.

BADLY SCARED.

British Residents in Manila Send for War Vessels.

LONDON, May 10.—The Hongkong correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: The British in Manila have forwarded a petition through the British consul to Vice Admiral Seymour, commander-in-chief of the China station, for further naval assistance, and it is anticipated that additional vessels will be sent there on Wednesday. The British Consul is working in thorough harmony with the American commander, but it is felt that the overwhelming British commercial interests require supervision by a force sufficient to keep the Spaniards and natives in check.

Business at Manila is at a complete standstill, but the Spaniards are not likely to surrender until the city is blown to pieces. The British inhabitants, however, are confident that the trouble will soon be over.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Evidences of the preparations being made for carrying troops to the Philippines were apparent at the war department today. The officials had before them a list of between fifteen and twenty vessels whose home port is on the Pacific Coast, and were making preparations looking to their charter as transports. Their aggregate capacity is more than ample for the purposes of the government. Should all be secured the war department will be able to send cavalry troops to the Philippines in case this is deemed necessary. If the original program is adhered to, the volunteers to be sent to reinforce Admiral Dewey will include the following, with the possible exception of the artillery and the riflemen: Two regiments of infantry and two batteries of heavy artillery from California; one regiment of infantry from Oregon; one from Washington and one battalion of infantry and Senator Shoup's troop

of riflemen. In addition to these troops the department will, it is said, avail itself of the four companies of the Fourteenth infantry, now on their way from Vancouver barracks to San Francisco, and portions of the Fourth cavalry and Third artillery.

THE PEKIN ARRIVES.

WILL SAIL WITH THE TROOPS NEXT SATURDAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—The Merchants Exchange reports the City of Pekin, from Hongkong and Yokohama, as passing in at 5.30. This will bring her to the dock about 7 o'clock unless the health officials place her in quarantine. The Pekin, with the steamer Australia and the cruiser Charleston will leave here about Saturday or Sunday next with troops and provisions for the Philippines Islands.

THE SPANIARDS THERE.

SAMPSON WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED AFTER ALL.

MADRID, May 9, 11.30 p.m.—An official dispatch from Porto Rico says that the Bojina has arrived there, protected by Spanish warships. She was chased by an American warship.

The dispatch says that provisions have arrived, assuring Porto Ricans a supply for several months.

UNHAPPY SPAIN.

MARTIAL LAW IS BEING EXTENDED THROUGH THE LAND.

LONDON, May 10.—Madrid specially says martial law is proclaimed at Seville and Saragossa. Will gradually be extended throughout the country. Most significant fact of the hour is the rapid development of the influence of the military party.

REIGN OF TERROR

BLOOD FLOWS LIKE WATER IN MILAN.

OVER ONE THOUSAND PERSONS KILLED IN TWO DAYS OF STREET RIOTING.

LONDON, May 10.—A Milan correspondent of the Daily News telegraphing Monday says: Calm reigns again. This belongs, it can do no harm to say plainly that for the last two days this city has been in the throes of revolution, with all its horrors and all its sadness.

Certain quarters today present a scene of complete devastation. In others the quietness of terrorism reigns, and this is the more striking when contrasted with the scenes of yesterday and Saturday, when, above the shrieks of the dying, rose the wail of widows and orphans, the harsh words of command and the irresistible stamp of soldiers, followed by the terrible boom of cannon.

When the soldiers were advancing to the Via Torino, a lady, young, richly dressed and stiff with terror, was struck by a bullet in the breast and fell dying.

At another point a fine carriage, with horses wild with fright, was stopped by the mob, and its one occupant, a lady, forcibly removed and left to find her way home as best she could. The carriage was used to carry the wounded to the hospital. The fighting was in real earnest and the soldiers were received like a foreign invader. Pools of blood were seen in the streets; often also the scattered brains of the committee.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—A fitting tribute was paid by the senate today to Commodore Dewey for the magnificent victory he achieved in the battle of Manila Bay.

The Red Cross society organized its members, wearing the international badge, and accorded the wounded and dying. Many children had exceedingly narrow escapes, the firing coming just as the school had been closed at noon. Parents rushed about in agony of mind. Any mother or father can understand their feelings while passing through a mob with bullets flying about their ears.

Women, instead of restraining the men, egged them on to greater excesses and even allowed their children to participate. Some even pushed themselves under the noses of the soldiers, crying "cowards, scoundrels. We work all day to maintain you in idleness," and similar expressions.

When the mob invaded the Central station express train was just on the point of leaving. The rioters, when they saw it cried: "Look, look, they are going to turn for the fates of jubilee constitution. They are going to enjoy themselves. Shame, shame; come back, come back and see."

Meanwhile the town advanced but very slowly and hundreds of people threw themselves upon the track in front of the engine, screaming "Come on, ram over our bodies."

Even the gentle nuns of San Michael were for a time in grave danger, as the rebels were not likely to respect women.

A barricade had been raised beside the convent and this enraged the rioters. The savage cry arose, "Let us use the gun to helpless our barricades!" They were on the point of carrying out their threat when one of the sisters appeared at the convent door and distributed live notes, enjoining them with the most exquisite courtesy to leave the convent in peace.

It is extremely difficult to speak with accuracy as to the numbers of killed and wounded. Probably it would not be exaggerating to fix the number of deaths as little short of 1000. What are the numbers of the wounded I shall not attempt to say. Many casualties will probably never be known.

Flourished a Shotgun.

Richard O'Donnell, of Easton, imbibed too much dago red Saturday afternoon and became violent in his actions. He endeavored to shoot his brother and flourished a gun threateningly at several persons. Deputy Constable Dunne placed him under arrest and yesterday the prisoner was taken before Justice St. John and sentenced to thirty days in jail for disturbing the peace.

DEWEY WINS HIS REWARD

Congress Unanimous in Its Vote.

Party Feeling Entirely Yields to Patriotism.

The House Struggles With the Volunteer "Immunes" and Minor Bills.

only such sum as the railroads receive for similar services.

RAILROAD LOBBYISTS. Speaking upon the amendment, Mr. Butler declared that the railroads were now maintaining a crowd of lobbyists in and around the Senate and even the President's room had been used as a lobbying place by the railroad attorneys. The amendment was defeated without division.

An amendment offered by Mr. Butler providing for the punishment of railroad companies in case of their refusal to carry mails on their fastest trains, if desired to do so by the Postmaster General was agreed to.

Mr. Butler then offered an amendment eliminating from that section of the bill which provides for an investigation of the question as to whether excessive prices are being paid railroads for carrying the mails, the clause which extends the investigations to all sources of revenue and expenditures of the postal service.

The senate, at 6.55, on motion of Mr. Collier, adjourned.

WAR REVENGE BILL.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—When the finance committee adjourned tonight the consideration of the war revenue bill had been almost completed, although there were some puzzling problems still unresolved, one of which was the manner of dealing with proprietary medicinal articles. There will probably be a uniform tax on all of them. The committee has decided to place a license upon bands at the rate of \$100 a year and upon brokers at the rate of \$50, but the date yet determined whether the professions will be licensed. On life insurance companies it has been increased five fold, but it made 10 cents on every \$100, and it is estimated that this increase will add about \$1,000,000 in revenue.

The provisions for an inheritance tax and for a tax on bills of lading were both adopted as were the provisions for taxing all dealings in futures, including bucket-shop operations. The bill, as it will be reported, will contain a provision requiring that a memorandum be made of all sales of this character, however small and that a 2-cent stamp be placed upon this memorandum.

The Democratic amendments will be taken up tomorrow and there is very little doubt that they will all be adopted, as Senator Jones of Nevada has indicated his purpose of standing with the Democrats on all the principal changes they propose. It is possible that the reconsideration of the bill may be completed tomorrow, but it is not probable.

BUDD'S TACTICS.

Why Company "F" Was Sidetracked.

The Alleged Reason As Stated By His Excellency for Publication.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Governor Budd had intended to keep the Sixth regiment intact and regrade his inability to do so on account of Company F of Fresno, who offered their services conditionally, the provisions of which he was unable to accept, and which he was powerless to carry out. He was therefore compelled to select a company from some other regiment to fill the quota called for to make up the first battalion.

Governor Budd today appointed the followings field and staff officers of the Seventh regiment of Los Angeles: Colonel, John R. Berry; Lieutenant Colonel, William G. Schreiber; Major, Frank C. Present; Major, Dana R. Walker; Major, William O. Welch; Sergeant-James J. Choate, William W. Robins; adjutant, Herbert D. Alfonso; Battalion adjutants, Harvey E. Bigelow, John D. Fredericks, Samuel Crawford; chaplain, Alfred S. Clark; quartermaster, Charles B. Fanner.

Four companies of the Fourteenth Infantry, U. S. A., arrived today from Vancouver barracks.

General M. W. Muller of Fresno is an applicant for appointment as Brigadier General of volunteers.

Mrs. J. M. Thurston.

Mrs. J. M. Thurston, who died in Clive, was a Vermont woman and a niece of Luke P. Poland. She married Senator Thurston, then a struggling lawyer, in 1812. They had six children, three of whom survive. Mrs. Thurston took great interest in her husband's public work and assisted him materially in it. During his campaign for the senatorship she was present at 75 of his 104 appointments. She was his counselor as a lawyer, appearing in court with him as an assistant in several important cases. She had literary tastes and painted well, but had not much time for social duties, as she directed her children's education until they were of age to enter the high school. She was lately elected president of the D. A. R.

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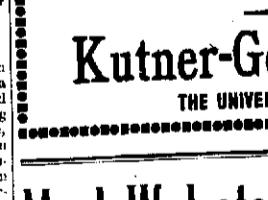


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THE HEROES OF THE MAINE

Many Lie in Un-marked Graves.

In the Potter's Field at Key West.

A Pathetic Description of a Spot Now Sacred in American History.

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Key West, May 9.—In the outskirts of the town, where the small Spanish cottages cluster silent and sunburned along the narrow street, is the cemetery of Key West. Near the main entrance, which is guarded by a cracking old wooden gate, is a group of newly-made graves. They are in the potter's field, the part of the burying ground set apart for the pauper dead.

These are the graves of the heroes who lost their lives on the battleship Maine in Havana harbor on the night of February 15. There are 24 of them unmarked. Above each mound of glistening white lime-stone cartil a small American flag droops in the fierce sun that beats incessantly down upon the island. The flags are faded and frayed. When a breeze comes up from the ocean they flutter sadly for moment and again drop to the scorched earth.

In the center of each mound is a small glass goblet, which still holds the decolorized and withered stems of flowers. "They were put there by a lady from Philadelphia," said the dreary old sexton. "She came here about ten days after the bodies were buried and put flowers on all the graves. I asked her who she was, but she said 'no matter.'"

And these faded little flags and withered stems of flowers are all that mark the resting place of the heroes of whom the civilized world has been talking since the fatal night, nearly three months ago. There is nothing else to tell the stranger who passes through the potter's field where the heroes of the Maine are sleeping.

The space where the graves are was evidently prepared in great haste. Near the little white mounds on all sides are unwholesome heaps of litter and rubbish. In one spot stands an old, broken, weather-beaten stand and glistens in its very aspect of loneliness and decay. The sexton said it had once been used as the city sewer, but one day it broke down while carrying a body to the potter's field, and there it still stands.

Very close to the twenty-four mounds is a group of thirty-six naval cannon which died of yellow fever. The sexton was unable to tell when they were buried there. The names and the words "United States Navy" are carved upon the shafts. But Nature, even with the barren lime rock below and the scorching sun above, seems trying to do what the hand of man has failed to do in beautifying the graves of our heroes. Luxuriant trees of the tropical species are all about the newly-made graves. On one side a massive green cactus lifts its pulpy foliage in the air. On the opposite side rows of tropical trees resembling green in full blossom and with every breeze cover the sunburned mounds with beautiful scarlet flowers.

Rarely does any one visit the place. It is without care or attention, a by-corner of the island, where for two centuries Spaniards, negroes and other folk have put their dead and forgotten them. Perhaps one-half the graves in the cemetery are those of unknown sailors whose sleeping places are unmarked. Most of the inscriptions on tombstones are Spanish.

Of the twenty-four who are buried here only two are identified. They were a negro and a Japanese. It is probable at some future time they may be removed to another burial place. If not a suitable monument will be erected to their memory.

A City Treasurer Defaults.

Prairie, Ill., May 9.—Henry E. Pithoff, city treasurer, who attempted to commit suicide the other day, is now discovered to have forged the names of relatives and to have embezzled \$12,000, and he is also a defaulter to the city to the amount of \$900. He is recovering from his wound.



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OLEANDER ITEMS.

Scholars Celebrate the Close of School With a Picnic.

Mrs. Robertson, accompanied by her son Oswald, went to Tulare county last week to visit her brother.

Professor Kirk visited the school here Thursday and complimented the scholars on their work.

Last Friday the scholars celebrated the last day of school by a picnic on the school grounds. Dinner was eaten under the shade of the trees. The trustees had erected swings for the little ones. The young people played games and the older ones sat in the shade and seemed to enjoy themselves as much as the younger folk. During the afternoon several races were run. When Mrs. Beardsley started to leave, the scholars all crowded around her and expressed a wish that she would come back and teach next year.

Miss Dorman returned home last week.

The Good Templars gave a social at the residence of Mrs. Buckland Friday evening. A few young people had been invited, among them being Miss May Simpkins of San Francisco. At 11 o'clock refreshments were served. Soon afterwards the party dispersed.

The funeral service of Mrs. R. White's youngest child was held in the church Sunday morning, Rev. A. D. Smith officiating. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community.

The ladies' prayer meeting will be held at the church Wednesday afternoon.

The new bell of the Congregational church was rung for the first time Sunday morning to call the young people to Sunday school.

G. A. B.

May 6, 1898.

HOYT'S "A TEXAS STEER."

At the Barton on Friday Night, Katie Putnam in the Cast.

Hoyt's funniest comedy, "A Texas Steer," one that will always hold popular favor, will be seen at the Barton on Friday night, May 13th. Measured Barton has arranged to present this attraction at unusually low prices. The lower floor will be paquet 75 cents and quarter circle 50 cents; balcony, first three rows, 75 and balance 50 cents; gallery, 25 cents.

This merry political satire was composed on the basis of individual characteristics and peculiarities and the cast is said to be absolutely perfect. Katie Putnam, one of the best known artists on the American stage, has been especially engaged for the part of "Bossy," a character eminently suited to her personality. Mauricio Freedman is the May-crick Brander Will II. Bray in his old part the minister to Dahomey. The Sioux City Quartet and other capable artists.

JULY WHEAT

Going Up to Phenomenal Figures.

A Wild Scramble of European Nations for American Breadstuffs.

CHICAGO, May 9.—The Liverpool wheat market today exceeded all previous efforts at startling advances by opening 7d higher for May, and from 7 to 9d higher for July compared with Saturday's closing figures. This set the Chicago wheat pit in a roar of nervous excitement at the opening. All sorts of prices were paid for July simultaneously in different parts of the pit.

It was impossible for a few minutes to get an idea of what price was predominating, but after a while the opening range, or near as could be given out, was given at \$1.03 to \$1.10. Trading between those limits was enormous for two or three minutes, but buying orders without limit to the price leaped upward in great bounds, touching \$1.14 for an instant. The market bounded to \$1.14. Shorts saw that they only chance to recover was to double and price was no object. Upshot quotations again, touching on \$1.16 ten times after the opening. Another reaction to \$1.12 followed.

The offerings were greatly absorbed and the market gradually settled down around \$1.16. Trading in May began at \$1.16. Lots sold a little at \$1.75, causing a reaction to \$2.70, which however, was quickly recovered. After a brief rest at 1.16 p.m. the buying furor was renewed.

A wild scramble of European nations for American breadstuffs was conclusively shown by the announcement of fresh bids to Lester for 2,000,000 bushels of red wheat.

Up to the close he had not accepted the offer, but reported other sales of 350,000 bushels to an abroad. Liverpool market at the close showed gains 7d for April and 2½d for futures. Paris and Antwerp accounted the European shortage by advancing 5c each.

Near the end of the session offerings became scarcer than ever and July rushed up to \$1.21, easing off at the close to \$1.20½.

September, which sold early at 89c, was pushed up to 95c, and closed 7d higher at 94½c.

No failures were reported on change, but margin calling was sharp.

Corn was active and shorts covered freely with the strength of wheat as an incentive. May gained 2½c, July 2c.

Grain was neglected, but on moderate covering advanced about 1c.

Provisions did not share to any extent in the grain excitement. Pickers sold moderately at the advance. The closing prices showed advances of 25 cents in park, 7 cents in lard and 2½ cents in riles.

A Bucket-Shop Stormed.

KANSAS CITY, May 9.—The W. A. Michael Company, doing a bucket shop business here in grain and stocks, went to the wall this afternoon as a result of the tremendous bulge in wheat.

When the suspension became known a crowd of bucket shop traders stormed the firm's offices in the board of trade building, and after the doors had been kicked in the police were called to restore order. The liabilities are not known, but the amount must be large.

Another Spaniard Killed.

LOS ANGELES, May 9.—Louis Andana, an American and a Spaniard named A. Romero, engaged in a discussion of the war at the old town of San Gabriel yesterday. The Spaniard became very abusive, whereupon Andana shot him through the body. The Spaniard will die. Andana was arrested today.

THREE DIVISIONS

How the Volunteer Army Will Be Organized.

Secretary Alger Indicates the Principal Points to Which Men Will Be Sent.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—In answer to special requests from all sections of the country for information as to where the various organizations of state troops which are being mustered into the United States service are to be sent, Secretary Alger today furnished the Associated Press a statement showing the destination of the volunteer troops. The list is subject to correction.

Washington, D. C., Chickasawha, San Francisco, New Orleans and Mobile are to receive the greater number of troops. It appears that the purpose of the department in making the assignments was to divide the volunteer forces in such a way as to be available for three distinct purposes.

The first regiments raised in each state, mustered and found ready for service, are to be sent to Chickasawha to be "locked into storage" and then sent to Tampa and other gulf ports, including New Orleans and Galveston, preparatory to embarking for Cuba.

The second division of regiments goes to Washington, where they are to form a grand reserve ready to reinforce the coast defense or for other purposes.

The third division is to remain for the present in the states in which their organizations are mustered, subject to call for duty in the Philippines or for general reserve purposes. Possibly they may never be called upon to leave their native states.

Superior Court Notes.

The following business was transacted in the Superior Court yesterday.

ROSS MEASE, DEPARTMENT 1.

People vs. Worthington; at request of defendant sentence continued until Monday.

W. M. Wyatt vs. George W. Owen; judgment for plaintiff for \$614. L. W. Mullins appointed commissioner.

Winslow Anderson vs. Mrs. Elsie Williams; damages to complainant withdrawn and tax days given to answer.

J. A. Webster vs. Frank Smith et al; defense of Frank Smith and Hattie Smith entered.

Bank of Selma vs. Frank Dusey; set for trial May 24, 9 a.m.

Fox Key vs. M. D. Hoffman et al; set for trial June 13, 9 a.m.

People's Savings Bank vs. T. E. Jones et al; stipulated that the court settle the bill of exceptions. Motion for a new trial continued one week.

Fresno Street Railway company vs. Southern Pacific; order for transcribing of the testimony, each party to pay half. R. H. S. Parkhurst vs. Bank of Southern California; motions continued to day at 2 p.m.

M. B. Farley vs. Emma M. Taft et al; trial continuances without date.

Sally P. Thompson vs. B. F. Alford et al; motion to vacate judgment continued to Monday. Default of Dollie E. Alford entered.

People vs. G. A. Baron; case argued, submitted and taken under advisement.

Guardianship of Louis B. McWhister; second annual account approved.

REINER JUDGMENT, DEPARTMENT 2.

Saving Bank of Southern California vs. P. I. Anberry; case on trial before jury.

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A SPANIARD KILLED.

Spat Upon an American Flag and Was Fatally Mauled.

From the Madras Mercury.

A fight occurred between a Spaniard and an American on a West Side train which resulted in the death of the Spaniard. The incident occurred in the anker.

A quiet, well-dressed man sat reading his paper. In his coat lapel there was a miniature American flag. The hoodlum snatched it from the coat, spat on it and threw it on the floor, where he stamped on it.

At the end of the battle which followed the Spaniard was completely derailed, having three ribs broken and otherwise badly battered. He was taken to the baggage car and placed on a couch. When the train reached Tracy the man had died of his injuries.

The public schools are almost every known branch of study but the one most important branch of all. What does it profit your soul if he has intelligence and is mentally an Admiral Crichton, if he has a weak mind, puny body and not the remotest idea of how to care for his health? His health is his most precious endowment.

Without health, all the talent, all the genius, and all the ambition in the world are worthless. A boy should be taught that he can't walk if life, that his parents and his family are dependent upon his care of his health.

When a man feels that he is losing his health and vigor, when his cheeks are pale, his step is no longer elastic and the sparkle of health is no longer in his eyes, he should work less, rest more and resign himself to a physician. Dr. Pierce's Medical Discovery is a natural medicine—a scientific medicine. It does no violence to nature. It works with and not against nature. It promotes the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It imparts vitality and power to the whole system. It gives plumpness and color to the cheeks, sparkle to the eyes, strength to the muscles and the animation of health to the whole body. It makes the appetite keen and hearty. It is the great blood-mender, flesh-builder and nerve-tonic and restorative. Medicine dealers sell it and have absolutely nothing else "just

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It was affected with pinches and boils, and runs sores on face and neck," writes Robert S. Ewing, Jr., of No. 615 Galloway Ave., Columbus, Ohio. "I took Dr. Pierce's Medical Discovery, a natural medicine, and was cured."

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VALE, SOLDIERS!

The Fresno Volunteers
Leave.

There Was a Great Farewell
Demonstration.

Patriotic Enthusiasm on all Sides.
The Farewell on Sun-
day Afternoon.

Whatever fate may befall the brave boys of Company C the farewell demonstration in their honor last Sunday afternoon will long be remembered with pleasure. Fresno offered many of her favorite sons in defense of the flag, and every citizen joined in making their departure from the city an auspicious event. Indeed, it was the most memorable occasion in the history of the city.

For the first time the younger generation was thrilled with the significance of a "call to arms," as their friends—perhaps kinmen—marched through the streets starting on a mission as death messengers to the Spanish War. A wave of popular enthusiasm passed through the crowd, giving expression to the patriotism that filled every heart. All realized that there was no North nor South, no East nor West, but that this was a great unified nation, with 70,000,000 people whose hearts are inspired by common purposes and common ideals.

Every citizen was stirred with the exaltation of patriotism, rejoicing that the scars of conflict received in the past had vanished and that every flag represented the entire people of a loyal Commonwealth eager to share in the sacrifices of men and goods in war in defense of the nation's honor. The Union veterans who wore the blue and those who wore the gray marched proudly shoulder to shoulder as escorts to the departing guards.

The ladies of the city—many of them mothers and sweethearts—gave the boys a farewell dinner in Armory hall. A splendid collation was served under the direction of Martha Lodge A.O.U.W., assisted by the Rebekahs and the ladies of the G.A.R. and W.R.C. The guardmen of C and D did not assemble until 12:30 o'clock and an hour was spent in feasting and speech making. Three long tables were laden with delicacies and substantial and the boys felt like loosening their belts before they had finished the enjoyable repast.

Private Lorenzo Thom opened the speech making by proposing "three cheers for the American eagle," and then Mrs. E. M. Crossman introduced N. L. F. Bachman, who made an address filled with inspiring thoughts. The boys were put in good humor by "Bach's" witty remarks and patriotic sentiments. Mrs. Anna B. Jackson recited a patriotic poem and this was followed by a short address from Rev. C. A. Munro. Judge Farley had a son in Company C and his short speech was touching.

At 2 o'clock the march from the Armory to the depot commenced. The Regimental band headed the procession, then Brigadier General M. W. Muller and his staff and Company F followed, and with Company C bringing up the rear. There was a great popular demonstration all along the line of march. Several thousand citizens had assembled at the Grand Central corner and a tremendous outburst of enthusiasm greeted the soldierly lads as they came in sight. Flags were waved and cheer after cheer went up from the multitude of throats.

The guardmen presented a warlike appearance as they marched along with guns gleaming and bayonets over their backs. There was no faltering in the line and every man seemed proud of his mission as a defender of the flag. Stirring patriotic music by the band set the blood to pulsating and all were deeply impressed with the significance of the occasion. Veterans of the southland and veterans of the north were assembled and the volunteers passed in review between the old Confederates and the old Union soldiers who were lined up facing each other. Tears came to the eyes of many, as among the volunteers were sons of the men who so gallantly fought in the last war.

The volunteers were halted in front of the Grand Central and stood at attention while the citizens of Fresno—including men, women and children—waited in giving them a rousing farewell. There was such a crowd that the guards could hardly find standing room. Little girls presented each husky lad with a beautiful bouquet and flowers were strewn in profusion. Flags were waving in every direction and the spectators cheered on the slightest pretext. The Grand Central was appropriately decorated with the national colors. An center piece for the decorations appeared the Maine and the words "Remember Her."

Dr. Chester Rowell appeared and delivered a short farewell address from the balcony of the hotel. Sentiments of patriotism were feelingly expressed and the citizen soldiers were complimented and wished good luck and God speed.

The Apollo club sang "Comrades in Arms" and then General J. R. Kittrell delivered a stirring patriotic address. The General said that there has never been a time when Columbia has called her sons to battle that there has been any faltering of her citizen soldiers. After reading a patriotic poem by "Bach," the address was closed with an eloquence that brought forth the wildest enthusiasm.

The demonstration lasted for over half an hour, and then the march to the station was resumed. The old soldiers fell into line and escorted the volunteers to the Valley road train. Hundreds of persons followed the procession, and when the depot was reached the crowd was awaiting to bid the boys good-bye. It was agreed that the train was bound for Sacramento. Everyone wanted to shake hands with the brave lads and many patriotic farewells were witnessed.

Sweethearts with tears in their eyes, tenderly clinging to their departing loves, fearful that they would find a grave in some foreign land. One young lady boldly reached up and cut off a button to keep as a memento of her hero. Conventions were forgotten, and the emotions were given full expression. Many kisses were showered on rosy lips, and the great, good-natured crowd looked on in approval. Wives bid their husbands a tender farewell, and not a few small children were along to give those poor ones last kiss before he left.

As the boys climbed aboard the train their friends eagerly pressed

forward, seeking to kiss handkerchiefs. After everyone was on board and all ready to start the crowd was so thick around the four cars filled with volunteers from Fresno and Visalia that the train could not be started for five minutes. The people blocked the track for two blocks and when the train started the cars moved slowly.

One young fellow leaped out of the car window as the train moved away from the station, and while two companions kept him from falling, gave his sweetheart a parting kiss. No doubt when camping around the bay of Manila this parting greeting will be a pleasant remembrance.

When the train began to move away from the crowd there was a tremendous outburst of cheering as a parting farewell. The boys responded and went out of the city cheering and singing patriotic songs. The people did not disperse until the train was clear out of sight. Then the demonstration was a reconnection, and all went about telling their friends what a memorable occasion they had witnessed.

Company E of Visalia went to the front on the same train. George Stewart, editor of the Visalia Delta, is captain of the company. The cars bearing the Visalia volunteers were decorated with such mottoes as "Remember the Maine," and "Visalia's Response to Uncle Sam," etc. The company was given a great farewell demonstration by the citizens of Visalia.

Company C while on the way to Stockton passed resolutions of thanks to the citizens of Fresno for their ovation. Captain G. O. Duncan and Lieutenant J. D. Jones offered the resolutions which specially mentioned Martha Lodge, the Rebekahs, ladies of the G. A. R. and W. R. C., the G. A. R. and Confederate General Muller and staff, Company F, the Hospital Corps and the Regimental band; also Fulton G. Berry, Dr. Chester Rowell, General J. R. Kittrell and the Apollo club.

NOTES.

Fresno is proud of her stalwart volunteers.

All of Fresno turned out to give the boys a rousing farewell.

"Bach's" poem brought tears to many eyes among the veterans.

The dainty little girls with bouquets of flowers pleased the boys.

Major Will Scott, "high private" in C, is a handsome soldierly lad.

Company C will be remembered whatever fate of war may befall it.

Company F is in action on its arms ready to move at an instant's notice.

M. Theo Kenney sent a wagon load of flowers to be used in the decorations.

Visitors in the city joined in the popular demonstration and cheered as lustily as anyone.

The boys will tell about the feast that the ladies gave them while cooking their bacon on a stick.

Captain Neville sent in a large number of magnolia blossoms from his beautiful country home.

The veterans who wore the blue and gray proudly marched shoulder to shoulder as escorts to the guards.

Captain Duncan and Lieutenant Jones made dashing officers with garlands of flowers around their waists.

The crowd was so large that the boys could not get on board the cars for several minutes after reaching the depot.

John Hicks and L. P. Timmins decorated the Grand Central and otherwise took an active part in giving the boys a send-off.

"Old Glory" never appeared so inspiring to the youngsters as it did on Sunday with their companions marching off to battle for the flag.

Colonel Forsyth, Dr. Chester Rowell, Mrs. A. H. Nutt, Mrs. J. W. Short, Miss Minnie Eshleman and others contributed beautiful flowers in profusion.

Fulton G. Berry was master of ceremonies, and great credit is due to him for the splendid demonstration. He said that it was the happiest day in his life.

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THE GARRETT CASE.

District Attorney Snow's Answer Filed Yesterday.

The demurser interposed by District Attorney Snow in the suit of Supervisor Garrett against Auditor Barnum, for those disputed January fees, has been overruled. It was submitted on briefs.

Yesterday District Attorney Snow filed his answer to the complaint. The answer merely recites the fact that the board passed the bill without the approval of the District Attorney, and under a recent decision of the supreme court, referred to in the Republican a few days ago, it is held that the board cannot sustain their own claims.

In the light of that decision it is believed that the case of Garrett will be thrown out of court. In that event the supervisor will sue the county, and the correctness of the District Attorney's contention that the board was necessarily in session will be inquired into.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday allowed Martha V. Easton 47 a month for the care and support of Geo. Huntman, an orphan. Mrs. O. O. Judd was granted \$16 a month for the maintenance of Mrs. D. A. Hunt and eight children. Auditor Barnum was allowed two extra deputies for twelve days to assist in making the tax rolls. The compensation was fixed at \$3.50 a day.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

The "J. U. J." took the occasion of his birthday to give their president, Jacob U. Johnson of Scandinavian colony, a surprise party Saturday evening. The evening was spent in the usual pleasant fashion of such affairs, and after a light repast, served at midnight, the company departed for home, all wishing "Jake" many happy returns.

A NEW BRICK WAREHOUSE.

Contractors Ryan and Minard are commencing work on the construction of a brick warehouse to be occupied by Holland & Holland. The building is being erected by B. F. Shepherd after plans prepared by A. C. Swarts, architect. The contract price is \$100,000.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

After a great farewell demonstration

on all sides, the

train their friends eagerly pressed

UP THE VALLEY

The Soldiers' Tri- umphant Journey.

Gallant Lads Cheered at Every Station.

The Run to Stockton as Told by High Private Will S.

Scott.

From the REPUBLICAN'S War Commissioner, On the S. F. and S. J. V. railway train, en route to Modesto.

The collision given by the ladies of the Degree of Honor, the martial music rendered by Fresno's half of the regimental band, the patriotic speeches by Judge Farley, Hon. N. L. F. Bachman, Dr. Rowell, Commodore Fulton G. Berry and General Kittrell, the inspiring songs rendered by the Apollo club and the large concourse of friends who gathered to tell the men goodbye and God-speed, painted a picture on the minds of the members of Company C which will never be forgotten.

As we left Fresno few members of the company were possessed of dry eyes. On the face of every man could be seen a determination to do his best to show those who remained behind that their confidence had not been misplaced.

The transportation service of the Valley road is all that could be desired, and is in marked contrast with the past experience with the Southern Pacific. On this trip each company has two entire cars at their disposal which gives plenty of room for the men. On previous trips over the Southern Pacific only one car has been allotted to each company.

Le Grand was the first stop. There we found a large number of people who greeted us with cheers while they displayed the stars and stripes. Among the number was the Rev. A. W. Lawrie, formerly of Selma, now stationed at Le Grand.

We stopped next at Merced, where we took on Company H, under command of Captain Gutheil. As did Fresno, the people of Merced turned out en masse, accompanied by the Merced cornet band, to bid the boys goodbye.

After we passed Merced, Corporal Walter Ferguson passed through the cars, distributing the contents of two boxes of the finest brand of "Phillipines" cigars presented to the company by the genial Eddie Schwartz of the New Palm Garden. Three ringing cheers were given in honor of Eddie, and the boys promise him a choice Spanish scalp when we return.

The warm-hearted sand-dog gives us by our own dear Fresno people is still before us, and the officers and men hope to acknowledge their appreciation.

Officer and men of Company C wish me to assure the people that they will give a good account of themselves when they meet the haughty Dog.

PRIVATE WILL SCOTT, COMPANY C.

Three Hot Months in Jail.

John Silve, who was charged with embezzlement for appropriating a horse and buggy belonging to M. P. Steltz, was yesterday afternoon arraigned before Judge Risley. He pleaded guilty to misdemeanor embezzlement, and was sentenced to three months in jail.

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SHANKY says he is going to the springs. We wish he'd go to the devil.

For an impromptu affair, Fresno's farewell to the soldier boys Sunday was a credit to the patriotic spirit of the town.

Professor Norros of Harvard has not yet emigrated to Spain. Every day we look at the bulletins, but turn away disappointed.

We can forgive John Bull much in view of the good turn he has done us in our war with Spain. But please give that chestnut a rest about blood being thicker than water.

If Sharkey really wants to lick something he ought to enlist in the American navy, where his chances for a share in a successful scrap would be at least 16 to 0 better than they are in the prize ring.

Now that he knows Dewey is all right at Manila the American patriot is not so likely to become cross-eyed. He can keep one eye on Havana and the other on Porto Rico without danger of strabismus.

It is reported that Professor E. S. Holden, late director of the Lick observatory, has compiled a "Catalogue of Pacific Coast Earthquakes." Wonder if he mentions the temblor that shook him out of his job?

There is a notable change in the tone of the European press since the facts have come out regarding that little naval function over at Manila, for which Admiral Dewey furnished the principal features of entertainment.

It is stated that the President has accepted the gift of Miss Helen Gould to the government of \$100,000. The government is not a mandat, at the same time it cannot afford to discourage patriotism among the wealthy.

IGNORANCE NOT PATRIOTISM.

The REPUBLICAN regrets to observe a disposition on the part of a small but noisy element in the community to make it unpleasant for citizens whose ancestry is of Spanish origin. To insult a "dogo" is apparently considered by some people an evidence of patriotism, and to do this without discrimination or a knowledge of the sentiments entertained by the person insulted, still better evidence of loyalty to republican institutions. As a matter of fact it is only an unpleasant evidence that there are people so ignorant and hoodlumish that they are unfit to wear the proud title of American citizenship.

A few days ago a young descendant of Mexican parents was boisterously accosted on the street and invited to go back to Spain where he belonged. He is a native of California, educated and thoroughly loyal to his native land. His sympathies are strongly with the United States and against Spain, and he expressed himself as feeling keenly the insults to which he was subjected because of his parentage. A number of cases of this kind are reported.

If there are citizens in this country so ignorant they do not know that the people of Mexico, of Portugal and the Azores islands, who are quite numerous in California, have won their independence from Spanish rule, as the people of Cuba are now doing through the aid of this government, they ought at least to be taught the desirability of keeping civil tongues in their heads and treating equally loyal citizens as themselves with common decency. Time and again it has been demonstrated that our citizens of foreign birth and extraction are loyal to the flag, and to openly insult them for no other reason than that they cannot trace their ancestry back to revolutionary sires can only be attributed to the grossest ignorance.

The above, of course, has no application to the Spaniard or Spanish sympathizers who indulge in treasonable utterances at this time. They fully deserve what they are certain to get, and no apologists are asked from those who "call them down." But against the wanton insult of good and loyal citizens merely because of their Spanish extraction or that they come from some country that has fought and won its independence from Spain, the Karmelican enters its protest. It is neither common sense nor Americanism.

ADMIRAL SAMPSON'S TASK.

We must not expect Admiral Sampson to be as fortunate in the approaching fight with the Spanish fleet in Cuban waters as Admiral Dewey was at Manila. While there is hardly a doubt that American arms will be crowned with another glorious victory, it is probable that we shall suffer loss both of men and vessels. Without desiring in the slightest degree to disparage the great achievement of Dewey, Sampson has to perform a harder task. There are vessels in the Spanish fleet that rank with his own, and Admiral Villamil, its commander, is reported to be not only a man of courage, but to have a good head also. If his gunners are even fair shots the American fleet is bound to suffer.

To give some idea of the strength of the Spanish fleet we here describe several of its vessels. The *Pelayo*, the only battleship in the Spanish navy, is protected by 10-inch armor and its arm-

ment consists of two 12½-inch rifles, two 11-inch rifles, one 6½-inch rifle, twelve 4½-inch pieces and a large number of rapid fire guns. The *Pelayo*'s speed is 15 knots. The Admirals *Quito*, *Vicente* and *Maria Theresa* are all of the same class. They partly of the type of the battleship as well as that of the cruiser. They are protected by 12-inch steel belts, and the heavy gun emplacements have 6-inch steel armor. In these cruisers two 11-inch guns are mounted singly on barbettes, turrets fore and aft, and there are fine 5½-inch guns on each broadside, the pair severally nearest to the bow and stern being sponsored out, so as to fire severally in those directions, and have a wide firing arc on the beam. The *Carlos V* is another fine vessel. Its armament is superior to that of the foregoing, but it is protected by only a six-inch belt. The nominal speed of these vessels is twenty knots. In addition to these are a third-class cruiser or two and half a dozen torpedo boats, the slowest of which has a speed of twenty-five knots. This, it is clear, comprises a formidable fleet. While not as strong as Admiral Sampson's, which includes such splendid fighting machines as the *Iowa*, *Indiana*, *Amphitrite*, *Miantonomoh*, *Puritan*, *Terror*, *New York*, etc., it should, if properly handled, be able to inflict considerable damage.

But there's the rub. Will the Spanish fleet be well handled? Its Admiral has the reputation of being a fine naval strategist, but will he be supported by his men as he should be? A good commander is indispensable, but he can accomplish little without good men, and there is where the Spanish navy is weak. Its sailors will fight, but they are ill-trained and lack self-control. There seems to be some fear that the Spanish fleet may evade the French and make a dash for Havana, where it would have the support of the land batteries. This certainly would render the task of Admiral Sampson more difficult, but we do not believe such an event likely to happen. Our auxiliary cruisers are patrolling the seas and keeping a sharp lookout for the Spaniard. It is highly improbable that the enemy could escape observation, and as soon as spied our scouts would turn and hasten to a point where they could give warning to the American fleet. The likelihood is that the fight will occur somewhere off the coast of Porto Rico, and it is only a matter of hours, if indications count for anything, when we shall receive the thrilling news of one of the greatest naval battles the world has ever witnessed.

There is food for thought in the following excerpt from an article in the London Spectator:

The Americans will emerge from the war with new ideas and larger ambitions. They will have defeated a second-class European state and will feel actually that, as matters stand, they would have been defeated by a first-class one. They could not have fought France, to say nothing of Great Britain, without suffering grave defeat at sea and enormous losses on land. That is not the position which suits American temper, and Washington will set itself to construct a first-class fleet. That once built, the desire for a position in the world equal to their position among nations will compel them to abandon the idea of non-intervention and change the Monroe doctrine into a direct and effective protectorate of the two Americas.

We hope the press of the country will assiduously advocate the upbuilding of our navy until it is at least the equal of that of any other nation. We also recommend that the people require those who desire to represent them in congress to pledge themselves to a policy of naval development. What navy we have is unexcelled as to personnel, ships and equipment, but there is not nearly enough of it. Let us add to its strength till it can cope with the navies of any two of the powers of continental Europe. It will cost much money to accomplish this, but it will be money saved in the end, and will also enable us to ward off disaster and humiliation.

The REPUBLICAN discredits the report that Admiral Dewey went when he found there were no more Spanish ships to destroy. The Admiral is a kind-hearted man, and when he had wiped out the fleet and silenced the batteries of the fortifications he merely remarked, as this paper believes, that he was quite well satisfied for the present, and would patiently await further orders.

The Democratic papers can be implicitly depended on to do two things during this war. Everything that goes wrong will be attributed to the administration, and every success will be credited to some individual who achieves it in spite of the administrative handicap. The partisan newspapers which are an exception to the rule will be as rare as white blackbirds.

"It hurts Fresno" to publish the statement that outside opinion holds this to be a community of blackmailers and thugs. Rich men can find those kind of cattle in any community, or can import them if they see fit, but to say that Fresno is exceptional in that respect, either in fact or reputation, is as infamous a slander as ever was put in type.

So it seems that the Sueu canal may be used by belligerents after all, and Spain could, if she wanted to, send a fleet to the Philippines by that route. It is not likely, however, that the Spaniards want to do anything of the kind. We can imagine them shaking their heads dubiously and muttering, "Eee hombre es un diablo!"

The victory of Admiral Dewey over the Spanish at Manila must be considered one of the most remarkable in history. To emerge from a fierce battle of several hours with but a few men slightly wounded and ships practically uninjured, after having inflicted a bloody defeat upon the enemy, is an experience that has fallen to the lot of very few commanders.

WAR OPTION ON BEEF.

The Government Ready to Supply 100,000 Men With Meat in War.

C. O. Winkler of Kern county, Cal., passed through Pittsburg recently on his way to New York. Mr. Winkler is owner of an extensive cattle ranch in the White river valley and the western representative of New York capitalists who have large ranches in Nevada, Arizona, Montana and Texas. His trip east is to confer with them on prices and other business details for the coming season. Mr. Winkler said:

"The United States government has secured options on enough cattle in the west to sustain an army of 100,000 men for 12 months. No contracts have been made, but prices have been fixed, and in the event of war with Spain the government will be amply supplied with beef for its troops at a moderate figure. These options were taken to prevent any cornering of the market by large beef packing concerns, who may be prepared to advance prices at the first outbreak. By purchasing directly from the cattle raisers the government will save thousands of dollars and have an inexhaustible supply at command. The late civil war was an object lesson not yet forgotten. Anybody who remembers the rebellion knows what 'war prices' meant."

OLD FIGHTER'S VIEW.

Colonel Frank Madsen on Racial Characteristics of Soldiers.

Colonel Frank Madsen of Omaha, late of the Fourth United States Cavalry, was in Macon, Mo., the other day. He was in some sharp Indian fights in the late fifties and was in the cavalry service all through the civil war. He has visited Cuba and is acquainted with the characteristics of the people of that island. In making a comparison of the fighting qualities of those of different nations he said:

"The Spanish have quick heat and activity. The French have the dash, the Germans are steady and methodical, but Anglo-Saxons and their descendants, the Americans, possess a combination of all these soldierly elements. They are as tenacious as bulldogs and can endure more suffering and complain less than any other people. I am an Irishman and was born in the old country, but I have seen enough of Americans to know that they make the finest soldiers in the world. In my opinion if war comes it will be a short shrift for the dous, but they will make a big bluff at first." —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

GAVE HIS NAHANT HOUSE.

Senator Lodge's Residence Is Being Turned Into a Central Signal Station.

The spacious residence of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, at Nahant, Mass., has been taken for government purposes. It will be turned into a signal station,

There is food for thought in the following excerpt from an article in the London Spectator:

The Americans will emerge from the war with new ideas and larger ambitions. They will have defeated a second-class European state and will feel actually that, as matters stand, they would have been defeated by a first-class one. They could not have fought France, to say nothing of Great Britain, without suffering grave defeat at sea and enormous losses on land. That is not the position which suits American temper, and Washington will set itself to construct a first-class fleet. That once built, the desire for a position in the world equal to their position among nations will compel them to abandon the idea of non-intervention and change the Monroe doctrine into a direct and effective protectorate of the two Americas.

We hope the press of the country will assiduously advocate the upbuilding of our navy until it is at least the equal of that of any other nation. We also recommend that the people require those who desire to represent them in congress to pledge themselves to a policy of naval development. What navy we have is unexcelled as to personnel, ships and equipment, but there is not nearly enough of it. Let us add to its strength till it can cope with the navies of any two of the powers of continental Europe. It will cost much money to accomplish this, but it will be money saved in the end, and will also enable us to ward off disaster and humiliation.

Seventy-five men are at work making extensive alterations. This point will be equipped with searchlights and will be connected by telephone and telegraph with all fortifications along the coast. This station will furnish the triangle for the mortars batteries. There is scarcely a better point for observation along the New England coast than the front of the Lodge estate. The entire estate was tendered to the government by Senator Lodge.—New York World.

Spanish Nation In Statistics.

Population of Spain in round numbers, 18,000,000. Able to read and write, males, 3,117,855; females, 2,035,615; total, 5,104,470. Iliterate, males, 1,064,118; females, 746,404; total, 1,810,522. Priests, friars and church dignitaries, 43,528. Nuns, 28,549. Devoted to agriculture, males, 4,093,391; females, 628,631; total, 4,821,022. Teachers, males, 24,642; females, 14,400; total, 39,192. School attendance, males, 1,000,810; females, 719,110; total, 1,728,920. Literary writers, males, 1,171; females, 74; total, 1,245. Physicians, males, 20,177; females, 78; total, 20,255. Officeholders, 97,297. Peasants, 64,000. Servants, males, 89,368; females, 510,596; total, 499,558. Professional beggars, males, 33,279; females, 51,946; total, 91,225. —In a Recent Number of Diario del Comercio of Barcelona.

The Democratic papers can be implicitly depended on to do two things during this war. Everything that goes wrong will be attributed to the administration, and every success will be credited to some individual who achieves it in spite of the administrative handicap. The partisan newspapers which are an exception to the rule will be as rare as white blackbirds.

"It hurts Fresno" to publish the statement that outside opinion holds this to be a community of blackmailers and thugs. Rich men can find those kind of cattle in any community, or can import them if they see fit, but to say that Fresno is exceptional in that respect, either in fact or reputation, is as infamous a slander as ever was put in type.

So it seems that the Sueu canal may be used by belligerents after all, and Spain could, if she wanted to, send a fleet to the Philippines by that route. It is not likely, however, that the Spaniards want to do anything of the kind. We can imagine them shaking their heads dubiously and muttering, "Eee hombre es un diablo!"

The victory of Admiral Dewey over the Spanish at Manila must be considered one of the most remarkable in history. To emerge from a fierce battle of several hours with but a few men slightly wounded and ships practically uninjured, after having inflicted a bloody defeat upon the enemy, is an experience that has fallen to the lot of very few commanders.

HARTMAN AS A STAR.

He Makes a Good Impression in "The Purser."

"The Purser" showed Ferris Hartman off in such an entirely new role that it was a hard matter to get used to him at the beginning. Hartman has assumed characters of quite a different sort and for the most part they have been extravagant burlesques of all kinds, mostly in comic opera at the San Francisco Tivoli, where he has enjoyed great popularity for several years past. But burlesque (at which he is an artist) and farce-comedy are quite different, and at first he seemed out of place.

Hartman has secured a good, clean comedy to begin his starring in and he has also surrounded himself with a capable company of comedians, some of whom are as attractive in personality as they are graceful in acting. There's one thing that detracts from "The Purser" and that is the stage setting. Not that it was not pretty and artistically gotten up, but there was too much sameness about it. The entire action of the play takes place on the deck of a vessel and I think one gets tired of looking at the same setting throughout the entire evening. Had there been a cabin scene or something of the sort I think there would have been an improvement.

As Reginald Temple Ferris Hartman gets into a heap of trouble. With one who amuses aboard ship contrary to rules and another "would be" wife forever nagging at him and making him into unbearable to him and getting him into all sorts of scrapes he is indeed deserving of pity. He found himself in many trying situations and enacted the part with all the naturalness that he is capable of, and that is not little. Ferris Hartman is very clever and full of resources and, I think, will make a name for himself in legitimate comedy roles, but hardly in "The Purser."

H. D. Blakemore's impersonation of Captain Caution was a bit of acting that it would be hard to improve on. Alice Johnson as Edith Lowers, the purser's wife, was very good. She acts well, sings sweetly and is a valuable acquisition to the comedy. Mrs. Stanley, a gay divorcee, was in good hands and Lena Merle deserves much praise for her excellent work. Gertrude Carleton as Tomoya made a very cute cabin boy and appeared to be the favorite with the audience. The rest of the characters were splendidly portrayed and the comedy throughout was thoroughly enjoyed.

STRELLA PENN, Munyon's Donation.

Prof. J. M. Munyon, president of Munyon's Homeopathic Home Remedy Company, who is now in London on a business trip, has called President McKinley as follows: "William McKinley, President, Washington, D. C.—You may draw on my Philadelphia house for two hundred thousand dollars worth of medicine as my contribution to the army and navy. England is with us."

"JAMES MUNYON."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

J. G. Jones to Southern Pacific Company, 16 acres on San Joaquin River, consisting of a granite quarry, carloads 40-50% 3½ to 4½ cu. ft. 50-60% 3½ to 4½ cu. ft. 60-70% 2½ to 3½ cu. ft. 70-80% 2½ to 3½ cu. ft. 80-90% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 90-100% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 100% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 110% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 120% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 130% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 140% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 150% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 160% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 170% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 180% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 190% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 200% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 210% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 220% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 230% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 240% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 250% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 260% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 270% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 280% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 290% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 300% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 310% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 320% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 330% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 340% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 350% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 360% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 370% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 380% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 390% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 400% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 410% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 420% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 430% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 440% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 450% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 460% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 470% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 480% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 490% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 500% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 510% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 520% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 530% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 540% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 550% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 560% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 570% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 580% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 590% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 600% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 610% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 620% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 630% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 640% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 650% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 660% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 670% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 680% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 690% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 700% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 710% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 720% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 730% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 740% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 750% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 760% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 770% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 780% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 790% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 800% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 810% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 820% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 830% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 840% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 850% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 860% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 870% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 880% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 890% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 900% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 910% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 920% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 930% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 940% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 950% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 960% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 970% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 980% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 990% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1000% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1010% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1020% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1030% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1040% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1050% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1060% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1070% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1080% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1090% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1100% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1110% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1120% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1130% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1140% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1150% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1160% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1170% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1180% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1190% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1200% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1210% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1220% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1230% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1240% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1250% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1260% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1270% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1280% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1290% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1300% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1310% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1320% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1330% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1340% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1350% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1360% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1370% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1380% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1390% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1400% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1410% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1420% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1430% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1440% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1450% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1460% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1470% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1480% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1490% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1500% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1510% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1520% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1530% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1540% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1550% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1560% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1570% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1580% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1590% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1600% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1610% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1620% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1630% 1½ to 2½ cu. ft. 1640% 1

RADIN & KAMP—WHITE FRONT STORES.

An Avalanche

Of good things this week. Like the constant roll of the ocean breakers, we are continually throwing our bargain spindrift over the community—brilliant price offerings that are never equaled, qualities that always tell and values that no competitors can offer. These are the methods by which our splendid stores have achieved their greatness. These are our methods of today.

READ OUR BARGAIN LIST FOR THIS WEEK.

Veilings.

In black and white dotted..... 10c

Fancy colored veilings..... 25c

Laces.

One stock comprises everything that is new and pretty, and is exceptionally complete for this season's business. We are showing among others a special line of Linen, Valencianos, etc., in several widths, from 2 to 4 inches wide..... 10c

and in a multitude of styles..... 10c

Embroideries.

Our range of novelties was never more complete, and embraces the new Draw-Thread Frilling Embroidery. Our prices are record beaters. We are offering a special line in widths from 2 to 4 inches, in 48 different styles, at..... 10c

Draw Shields.

Seamless Stockinette and perfect in every respect..... 10c

Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' plain white nicely hem-stitched, a wonder for..... 5c

Children's Sunbonnets.

In assorted colors, a splendid quality..... 25c

Ladies' Mitts.

In Black Silk, an exceptional line..... 15c

Another line in Black Silk, worth 50c, for..... 20c

Hose Supporters.

Ladies' size and a splendid quality for..... 10c

Hosiery.

An unequalled range for Women and Children at prices never before attempted.

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, fast black, per pair..... 5c

Ladies' heavy hose in pepper and salt grays, for mountain wear, per 83c pair

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, full regular ribbed, a fine 25c quality

Ladies' Hermedoff Black Ingrain'd Hose, Maco foot, guaranteed esm. \$1 less, 3 pairs for..... 10c

Ladies' Tan and Bronze Cotton Hose, seamless, high spliced heel and double sole..... 25c

Ladies' extra quality Black Cotton Hose, seamless and full regular 12c made..... 12c

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, seamless with white feet, this is a splendid 20c hose, now special for..... 12c

Children's seamless Fast Black Hose, guaranteed 2 thread..... 15c

Children's Black Cat Leather Stockings, triple knee, Maco yarn, high spiced heel and toe..... 25c

Children's Fast Black Cotton Hose, large rib, all sizes, a splendid 8c Jersey ribbed..... 8c

Such an aggregation of bargains as the above can only be thoroughly appreciated by an inspection. Customers will find our genuine business methods a thorough relief from bogus advertising and faking methods, as they can always find the goods as advertised at the

White :: Front :: Stores

RADIN & KAMP,

1023, 1025, 1027, 1029, 1031 I STREET.

Clear the Decks FOR ACTION.

Six men have stood up bravely all last week in B. T. Scott's cash stores, helping to serve GROCERIES and ENAMILED WARE to the thousands. We are glad the people of this county appreciate the fact that crowd. He had SCOTT is trying to keep prices down as much as possible. He had rather make a little less money and be a help to those who have but little to buy with. This has been a very exciting week in the sugar market. Scott believes prices will not go much, if any, higher. He and his faithful employees welcome the Sabbath day of rest.

Good-bye, Company C.



Making a Monkey-Jack of Him

Is what Uncle Sam is likely to do in short order. Don't allow any one to make a monkey-jack of you by selling you an ill-fitting, cheaply finished suit of clothing; when we will make you a suit from exclusive styles in fabrics, that will fit you to perfection, and that is finished with elegance and taste at prices to suit the times.

A. H. SCHULZ,
Merchant Tailor,
1117 J Street, Fiske Building, Fresno.

ARMORY STABLES.

3 Street, bet. Kern and May.

C. W. COOPER, Prop.

Good rigs at reasonable rates. Boarders and transients well cared for. Horses and vehicles of all kinds for sale or exchange. Horses broken single or double by Barney Metcalf. Telephone Red 04.

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Car, Ninth and Washington Streets, when in town, will find a quiet, comfortable place of unquestioned respectability. Large sunny rooms, with board. Parlor for reading and dining room. Fine table. Summer rates low. Write at once for terms. P. F. TAYLOR, Prop.

REMOVAL NOTICE

Colonel J. G. Anderson has removed his

REAL ESTATE,

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To No. 903 J street, opposite Post office.

THE NEW BUREAU BETWEEN

United States Department of Agriculture—
Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, May 8.—Observations taken at 6 o'clock in the afternoon:

Temperature, dry bulb	59.35
Humidity, per cent.	51
Wind, N.W. (gales per hour)	11
Maximum Temperature, hot period	60
Total rainfall, past 24 hours	.07
Total rainfall for season, inches	.418

WEATHER FORECAST.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 12 M. T. May 10. Weather: Fair Tuesday, with fog along the coast in the morning; southwest winds.

Southern California—Fair Tuesday; warmer along the south coast; fresh westerly winds.

The REPUBLICAN may be had in San Francisco at Cooper's book store, 746 Market street.

The Eastern office of this paper is at 230 to 234 Temple Court Building, New York City. E. Katz Advertising Agency in charge, where files may be seen and advertising contracts made.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Buy Sulphur at Holland's grocery.

Fresh fish today at City Market.

Osborn rakes and mowers. Dorsey & Parker.

Special today—spring lamb at Layton Market, 1840 Tulare.

Seaside tickets at reduced rates on sale Southern Pacific office.

REPUBLICAN business office, telephone main 27. Editorial room, main 101.

"Imperial Fresno" on sale at Owsley's, Riegel's, South & Fenton's and the REPUBLICAN office.

Just the thing to send to your friends in the East—"Imperial Fresno"; in leatherette, 75 cents.

Only \$3.75 round trip San Francisco by Southern Pacific Thursday, good to return following Monday.

The will of Jean Marie Dargelas was yesterday filed for probate by Nancy Dargelas, the widow. The estate is valued at \$1200.

The Kutner-Goldstein Company yesterday brought suit against W. Applegarth to secure judgment for \$1000 on a promissory note.

The appraisers of the estate of Eddie A. Walker yesterday filed their inventory and appraisement, estimating the value of the property at \$4380.

Subscriptions to stock in the Fresno-Yukon Gold Dredging Company are now received by the secretary, W. N. Rohrer, at his office opposite the postoffice in Fresno.

"Imperial Fresno," showing the resources, industries and scenery of Fresno county, may be had at the REPUBLICAN office, 1842 Tulare street. Leatherette 75c, cloth \$1.50.

J. L. Muquin, County Health Officer, has filed his quarterly report of births and deaths. During the past three months there were twenty-one births and twenty-six deaths.

"Imperial Fresno," showing the resources, industries and scenery of Fresno county, may be had at the REPUBLICAN office, 1842 Tulare street. Leatherette 75c, cloth \$1.50.

A good quality and neatly finished garment, special for..... 10c

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Underwear.

No house in the valley is in a position to offer you such values as ours today.

A little comparison will be a good thing in this line. We are so far in the lead with these goods the people are simply amazed.

Splendid line in low neck and sleeveless..... 5c

A better still, same style..... 7c

A wonderful offering..... 10c

A handsome line, neatly finished..... 12c

Special line in high neck and long sleeves..... 15c

Extra special in pretty tints, Jersey ribbed..... 15c

J. E. Burnett of Sanger was in Fresno Sunday.

J. H. Russell came down from O'Neals last Sunday.

Robert M. Porter is down from Auburn Valley.

F. Glas, Jr., of Madera, was a visitor in Fresno yesterday.

P. A. Boole and wife were over from Sanger last Sunday.

Dr. M. A. Gilreath and wife were up from Selma yesterday.

J. D. Smiley and wife of San Francisco are visitors in this city.

Attorney James A. Burke of Selma was in Fresno yesterday on legal business.

J. H. Braly, a prominent citizen of Los Angeles, is visiting relatives in this city.

Ed de Heyner, the well-known citizen of Sanger, was a visitor in Fresno last Sunday.

Constable Ben Dennis of Litchfield is in town. He reports that all is quiet in his bailiwick.

L. N. Large, the Denver mining man, is in town looking after his interests in this country.

Jesse Church started Sunday for Kutzabau sand. He goes with W. P. Henry and the Dietrich party.

Brigadier General M. W. Muller will go down to San Francisco today to observe the war preparations.

Sheriff S. W. Westfall of Madera was in the city Sunday and joined in the demonstration in honor of the guard.

Justice Tucker was up from Selma Sunday and took part in the farewell demonstration in honor of Company C.

Mrs. T. J. Kirk and daughter, Ingene, have returned from a two weeks' visit in San Francisco. Mrs. Kirk is much improved in health.

Alex Gordon has returned from San Francisco after attending a meeting of the Monterey and Fresno railroad. He states that Colonel Jones and Mr. James have started for England.

Mrs. S. J. Lovvold, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. I. Hutchinson, for the past six weeks, has returned to her home in Santa Rosa, accompanied by her nieces, the Misses Neill and Hattie Hutchinson.

The Great Ysaye.

As Ysaye is the greatest and most expensive musical luxury in the world to-day, it would be a lasting credit to Mr. Barton should he succeed in securing the great star's appearance in Fresno. A subscription list has been started so as to enable Mr. Barton to state what persons that care to see the great artist subscribe for seats at once.

Elegant Picture Frames

Made up to order in the latest styles from the newest patterns direct from the eastern manufacturers at Riggs' Book Store.

We have 600 pairs of Men's Fine Hand-sewed Corset Corsets and Vici Kid Shoes, narrow toes and broken sizes. They are \$3, \$4 and \$5, but they will go during our great sale at \$1.50 a pair.

Philadelphia Shoe Store, Mariposa street.

A Modern Art Store.

Special study made of artistic and appropriate picture framing, Fector, sign painter, 1138 J street.

Reduced Railroad Rates.

On Thursday the Southern Pacific railroad will sell tickets to San Francisco and return for \$2.75, good going Thursday or Friday and returning the following Monday. Go see the soldier boy and attend the Masonic festival.

GOOD STICK WORK

Won the Game for the Fresno Team.

On a Strange Diamond the Local Nine Defeated the Gilt Edges.

The Fresno baseball aggregation redeemed itself for all past defeats and future ones, too, if there be any, by defeating Sacramento's famous Gilt Edges at the Capital City Sunday afternoon. Not since the Gilt Edges outscored the Baltimore was such a splendid exhibition of the national game seen by the Sacramento "fans."

The boys from the Rafters put up a rattling good game, as indeed did their opponents, only the latter suffered from inability to hit at the right time the balls thrown by Thomas. They managed to get seven hits, but they were at such infrequent intervals that they did little good. The Fresno stickers, however, although they touched up Charley Doyle only seven times, hit him when hits were needed and kept on swatting him until they got the long end of the score.

Neither side scored until the fourth inning. In the second half of the fourth Ferguson crossed the rubber for Fresno, but in the first of the fifth Sacramento succeeded in making two runs. In the seventh the Gilt Edges scored again, but in the latter half of the inning Fresno won out. Tawney hit one base safe and Thomas followed with another, sending Tawney to second. Then McGregor hit the sphere so hard that he took three bases without any trouble. Tawney and Thomas crossing the plate, Erley was next up and did the work he brought McGregor in, breaking a bat to do it. After that there were no more run-making, and the Gilt Edges acknowledged defeat by a score of 4 to 3.

The official score of the game is as follows:

SACRAMENTO. AB R H BB SB PO A H

Doyle, Th. 3 0 2 0 2 0 0 0

Henry, D. 5 0 2 0 1 0 0 0

People, C. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

Ranney, C. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

Lockwood, M. 4 0 2 0 1 0 1 0

Horland, H. 4 1 1 0 0 0 0 0

Harvey, C. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

Total. 37 3 11 1 9 7 1 2

FRESNO ATHLETIC. AB R H BB SB PO A H

Feld, M. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

Feld, W. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

Courtney, R. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Moore, M. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Ferguson, C. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

Tawney, C. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0 0

Thomas, P. 4 1 1 0 0 0 0 0

Margolin, C. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Total. 32 4 8 0 0 27 19 2

SCORING BY INNINGS.

Sacramento. 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Fresno. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Base hits. 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Home runs. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Foul balls. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Bases on errors. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Foul outs. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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WOMEN'S WORK

Report of the Congress at San Francisco.

Many Instructive Papers Read. Miss Ackerman Coming to Fresno.

The first week in May can be very appropriately called women's week. Monday afternoon the Woman's Congress convened in Native Sons' hall. The opening address by Mrs. John F. Swift was quietly given the go-by by that talented woman and Dr. Ross of Stanford University, was introduced. His subject, "Social Values in Democracy," was ably handled and was listened to with marked attention.

The hall was profusely decorated with flags and flowers and presented, a very festive and patriotic air in the evening under the brilliant lights but a more unattractive hall for day meetings could not be found in San Francisco.

President Jordan of Stanford University, was the speaker of the evening, following a paper by Miss M. E. Connor on "Money Measurements of Men." Professor Jordan's subject, "Anglo-mania, Its Cause and Cure," was, it is needless to say, handled without gloves. His diagnosis was as funny as it was severe, and his prescription for the prevailing malady—"thimble full of brains"—will be much more effective than if sent forth by a less noted man.

I can only give the program for yesterday afternoon: "Bohemia and Philanthropy," Mrs. S. B. Gamble; "The Church as a Source of Fellowship," Mrs. Sidney R. Gasson. Evening session—"Clothes and Character," Mrs. M. R. Smith, Stanford University; "Social Functions and the Newspaper," Prof. C. A. Dunaway, Stanford University.

Wednesday Afternoon—"The Influence of Women's Clubs on Social Life," Mrs. J. W. Orr. This was a grand paper and gave a most interesting sketch of women's clubs from the days of Margaret Fuller, who, she said, in her efforts to release women from the narrow trend of a shallow education had become the first club woman, and had succeeded in giving her sex with a divine mania for real culture, "American Amusements," Prof. G. Kriehm, Stanford university.

Evening session—"Society and Philanthropy," Mrs. E. O. Smith, San Jose, Calif.; "American Recreations," William Jordan; "The Disintegrating Forces of City Life," Mrs. Sarah Pratt Carr; "Equality: How Far Is It An American Ideal?" Professor Jordan; "Can We Escape the Growth of Social Distinctions?" Dr. E. A. Ross.

The two last named addresses were very good indeed, but were equally unjust to women, since they laid all the sins of the petty distinctions at women's door. Mrs. Sarah Pratt Carr was always received with marked favor, and was applauded to the echo at almost every pause. She gave a glowing account of what women's clubs had done for the San Joaquin valley, particularly in Lemoore and Hanford. I felt that Fresno ought to have been represented and her club life and its utilities made known, but I had no authority, and outside of the W. C. T. U. knew very little of club life.

The Woman's Congress closed on Thursday evening, and the Missionary Congress, under the auspices of the California Woman's Christian Temperance Union, convened Friday morning. Miss Jessie Ackerman, an "round-the-world missionary," and Bishop William Taylor were the guests of honor. Miss Ackerman has been overwhelmed with receptions and all sorts of attention. She is on the verge of "nervous prostration," and cannot respond to but a small percent of the invitations to make addresses, but she promised me today that she would address a mass meeting in Fresno if arrangements were made to that effect. She goes down next week about the 10th or 11th, and is to be the guest of Mrs. A. L. Lowell, who lives some distance from Fresno.

Now I hope our unions all over the country will see to it that large delegations attend this meeting, and to make this possible let the Fresno unions make every arrangement, and give as much publicity to it as possible. Mrs. King, our county president, will be on hand to aid the work.

Not alone to the W.O.T.U.'s is Miss Ackerman interesting, but to every intelligent hearer her lectures on foreign fields are absorbingly fascinating. She has the power to print word pictures to a marvelous extent; and her hearers seem to actually travel with her, seeing the sights she describes and feeling with her the pangs of sorrow or the thrills of joy, as an actual experience.

The Missionary Congress was a grand success, made possible by the noble band of clergymen who from both sides of the bay and from other cities responded so heartily to the invitation to help this noble tribute to the two noble and honored guests.

Our union here in Oakland moves into new quarters this week. Rooms have been taken in Playfair block and a reading and vestry room furnished for the women clerks of Oakland. Here the girls can bring their lunches and spend a social or studious hour in quiet and seclusion. Thus a long felt want has been met.

Next week the union begins "Red Cross work." Already hundreds of yards of goods have been contributed by our merchants. So while the drums are beating, the flags flying and our brave boys marching away poor-spirited at homes will switch our patriotism into whatever is needed for the country's defenders. MARGARET B. PALMER.

Superintendent Press Work, Fresno County.

No Care—No Pay.

That is the way all drugists sell George's TASTLESS CHILI TONIC for colds and influenza. It is a safe, reliable medicine in a pleasant form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter nauseating tonics. Price 5c.

To All Whom It May Concern:

As a matter of information to all the members of the Independent Order of Foresters, and to all who may have in contemplation the joining of the order, I am pleased to say: The laws of the I. O. F. in no way jeopardize the good standing of a member should he join the military service of his own country. Having, as the Independent Order of Foresters has, a magnificent reserve fund of nearly \$5,000,000, every cent of it will be available to pay death claims to the widows and orphans of any of its members who may die in the defense of "Old Glory." Respectfully in L. B. and C. G. A. McFARLANE, High Chief Ranger.

Bibles, Prayer Books And Hymnals, a good assortment at South & Fentem's.

Sister rebids books good as new.

Use Smith's Corn Paint.

CHARGED WITH INSANITY. Robinson's Attorneys to Have Him Examined Today.

Edward J. Robinson, the Seima attorney who was recently tried for arson for attempting to fire his office at Salina and destroy a valuable building to obtain a small insurance he had on a number of worthless books, will be tried for insanity.

At the recent trial he pleaded insanity, and the jury disagreed. Van Meter & Rhodes, the prisoner's attorneys, have determined to get him in an asylum if possible, and yesterday Mr. Van Meter made a complaint against Robinson, charging him with insanity. He will be examined today. The District Attorney will probably resist the attempt to get Robinson out of the reach of the law by sending him to the asylum.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Tommy Kirk Injured in Returning From a Picnic

Tommy Kirk, son of T. J. Kirk, had a narrow escape from a terrible death last Saturday when returning from the Sunday school picnic. The party was coming home in a hay wagon, and in leaving the bottom of the San Joaquin river the lad, who had his legs dangling over the side of the wagon, was pulled from the wagon by some brush catching his feet, and was plowed between the side of the vehicle and the embankment.

The wagon was stopped and he was extricated from his dangerous position. Had not the driver stopped when he did the lad would have been crushed to death. He was considerably bruised, but the doctor pronounced his injuries not serious.

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Yesterday morning Mr. Maas arose at 6:30 o'clock, and after kindling the fire proceeded to cook breakfast. Mrs. Lizzie Maas, his wife, was talking to a neighbor, when her husband went up to her and complained of feeling ill. She suggested that he return to bed, which he did.

He soon was taken with violent spasms, such as attend cases of strychnine poisoning. His wife stayed by his bedside, holding his hand and questioning him as to the cause of his sudden serious condition. He went from one convulsion into another, and all that she could elicit from him was that he was suffering intense pain in the stomach.

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The wondering children looked on in amazement, and the scene was a pathetic one. All the while the wife sobbed by the bedside of her husband.

Mr. Wilkinson telephoned for Dr. J. L. Marpin, but before the physician had arrived Maas succumbed to the deadly potion he had taken.

A search was made and a bottle was found in the kitchen. The bottle contained strychnine, but the greater part of its contents was gone. It is believed that immediately upon arising in the morning Maas took the potion. He lived about two hours after first complaining of being ill.

The fact that the suicide was deliberate is apparent from a letter which the deceased left. It was found in his pocket by Charles Bach. It was written in German, and Mr. Bach read a translation of it to the coroner's jury. He made no direct reference to suicide, he stated that he was "going away," and advised his wife to return to the home of her parents in Colorado, and asked her not to censure him before the children "when he was gone," but to kiss each one a thousand times for him.

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Progressive Japan.

Japan is a land of many periodicals. It is said that already there are 800 newspapers and magazines in the kingdom. Tokyo alone has 20 newspapers. The religious reviews are said to be the richest, while the Japanese Ladies' Magazine particularly spreads Parisian fashions among the dandies of the kingdom.—Illustrated Transcript.

Some Patriotic Millionaires.

From the Oakland Enquirer.

New York's multi-millionaires have some shining examples of patriotism. John Jacob Astor has offered to equip a regiment at his own expense and also furnish free transportation to soldiers over railroads in which he is largely interested. Ogden Codell gave his steamer to the government, refusing to take \$500,000 that he was offered for it.

William Astor Chandler, having been refused permission to raise an independent regiment, has gone to Cuba to assist under General Gomez. Helen Gould made a personal contribution of \$100,000 to the war fund and several other tenders have been announced. F. A. Schermerhorn of the Free Lance, to the government. There is no mistaking the patriotic impulses of the commercial heart of the nation.

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Says It Will Be a War of Education—All Europe and Japan Will Watch the Struggle—Predicts Cuba Will Be an Independent Republic.

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The London Chronicle says that James Judge, a Newcastle engineer, has patented a gun which will fire 10,000 bullets a minute with enormous accuracy.

"Is Havana mined?" was asked.

"It would be a reflection on any good commander to say that it is not protected in that manner," was the vice consul general's rejoinder. "It would be suicidal to attempt to run into that deluge of a harbor if it were not mined. Havana is within reach of shells from vessels out in deep water. Morro Castle and the Cabanas are only formidable on paper. Half a dozen dynamite shells will do for the Morro. But General Lee is an army officer, and he is the one to speak about the military features of the coming conflict."

New York Journal.

One Reason For War.

All the questions of the day About the pending war with Spain. The heroes pictured day by day. The battles, the skirmishes, the sieges, and the battles. I expect to see Just what the faults or merits are, But Cuba should, I believe, be free Because it grows the best cigar.

Country of the weed sublimes.

And you must not smoke it. At least, however, you can't do it To the fester of the slave.

You can't burn it to scorch, yet

Uninjured for eye should be to your star, And freedom shall be yours, yet, but

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—The Speaker in Town.

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RETAIN THE PHILIPPINES

That is the Counsel
of an Expert.

Reasons Why They Should
Be Annexed.

Lambert Tree, Ex-Minister to
Russia, Says the Islands Are
Vital to Us.

Chicago, May 9.—"I hope the United States flag will never be hauled down at the Philippine islands," said Lambert Tree, former minister to Russia.

"The circumstances of our victory there demonstrated the necessity of annexing them. Commodore Dewey did not have a place left for the sole of his foot in the far East. He was turned out of Hongkong and then out of Mina Bay, and he had to conquer a harbor or start for Honolulu or go to the bottom. Now that same thing will happen again whenever we have another foreign war. All the ports will be declared neutral and our fleet will have no harbor and no coal and will have to come home or surrender or sink."

"That is what I call a humiliating and intolerable state of things and now that we have providentially acquired a port in the East, it seems to me we are under obligation to keep it."

"This is all the more necessary because we have become a great commercial power. If we mean to compete with other nations for the trade of China and Japan it is indispensable that we should have a foothold. It is inevitable that in the near future the Pacific ocean and the adjoining seas will become the scene of the greatest commercial activity and the United States has arrived at a period in its history when it must either advance in accord with its responsibilities as a great power, or else take a back seat in the family of nations. Therefore I believe in the annexation of these islands."

"As to the intervention of foreign nations, either to assist us or to oppose us in doing so, I cannot see what right any other nation has to interfere. We are perfectly able to take care of ourselves and we can annex these islands without anybody's help and in spite of anybody's opposition. At the same time I do not think that any power in Europe will say a word for no country in Europe is looking for any trouble with the United States."

GUSTAVE WALTER DEAD.

A Veteran and Successful Theatrical Manager.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Gustave Walter, proprietor and director general of the Orpheum Theater circuit, died today as the result of an operation for appendicitis. He was a native of Osterode, Germany, where he was born in 1845. He came to San Francisco in 1874 and after several smaller ventures built and opened the Orpheum in 1887. Constantly broadening his field, he finally completed a circuit which extends across the country, his connections embracing almost all of the principal cities of the United States.

Presidential Nominations.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—The President today sent these nominations to the Senate:

Navy—Oliver H. Allen of Massachusetts to be assistant secretary of the navy.

Interior—James Whitehead, register of the land office at Broken Bow, Neb. Treasury—First Assistant Engineer James S. Chalker of New Jersey to be chief engineer in the revenue cutter service.

Postmasters—California: John E. Reynolds, Redding; Hale W. Allen, Redlands.

Eastern Baseball.

BOSTON, May 9.—Baltimore 13, base hits 6, errors 2; Boston 0, base hits 3, errors 2; Batteries, Hughes and Clark, Nichols and Bergen.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—Cincinnati 5, base hits 12, errors 4; St. Louis 6, base hits 12, errors 1; Batteries, Hill and Peltz, Hughes, Daniels and Clements.

PITTSBURGH, May 9.—Pittsburgh 9, base hits 13, errors 3; Louisville 3, base hits 8, errors 2; Batteries, Rhodes and Shriver, Compton and Dexter.

NEW YORK, May 9.—The Brooklyn 1, base hits 4, errors 3; New York 3, base hits 6, errors 4; Batteries Duan and Ryan, McEkin and Grady.

Notice.

All warrants drawn on Road District No. 2 are now payable at my office. Interest ceases from this date.

J. E. WILSON,
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BARNYARD MANURE.

An Estimate of Its Value and Influence Upon the Soil.

In answer to a correspondent who states that his manure, straw, etc., has a fertilizing value not yet specifically measured and that any valuation based upon its content of nitrogen, potash and phosphoric acid is misleading. The Country Gentleman replies: It may be said that fertilizers are unquestionably of great value on account of their immediate availability and ease of application and as a substitute for yard manure when this is not available. But the ancient dictum that "the feeding of animals is the most important part of agriculture" surely obtains now as much as it ever did, and that these kinds of artificial plant food are so easily obtainable and applicable to the crops in nowise invalidates the old practice of feeding animals for the manure made, which will never become obsolete.

We have learned very much of late as to that most interesting and generally useful class of organisms commonly called germs or micro-organisms, and especially those that known as the nitrogen germ, existing in all fertilizer—indeed, in all—galls. For as to the latter it may be said, on the strength of the belief of the first scientists, that even the poorest kinds of soil contain enormous quantities, but though they may be, of nitrogen add indeed only the inoculation of every man between the ages of 19 and 50 "for the defense of the territory." Commanders of districts are required to enroll, organize and arm these reserves at the earliest possible moment and report to him promptly. He has also issued an order for the arming of the garrison of every city and town under Spanish control and has instructed them to report to the local commander. He is taking a census to ascertain the number of horses, mules and oxen on the island and their location in order that they may be seized for military purposes.—William E. Curtis in Chicago Record.

WAR WITH SPAIN.

William Curtis Predicts That It Will Be Long and Bloody Struggle.

The prevailing impression among officers of the army and navy and many members of congress that a war with Spain will be like a French duel is based upon a misconception of the Spanish character. They seem to think that it is only necessary for us to send a fleet to Cuba, bombard a town or two and tell the Spanish to get out. But they will learn by bitter and bloody experience that, as General Miles says, "war is not a festival," and that, when enraged, the Spaniards will fight like wildcats. I predict, unless the European powers intervene, that it will be a long and bloody struggle, and that when the Spanish army evacuates Cuba it will leave a heap of uninhabited ruins. When I was in Havana a year ago, the Spanish residents used to swear, with fire in their eyes, that rather than give up the island either to the insurgents or to a foreign power they would destroy everything of value upon its surface and leave not one stone upon another. That is the Spanish disposition, and it is the natural thing for them to do. What they cannot keep they will destroy, and the Cuban exiles now in Washington believe it will be the fate of their beloved island.

While the ministry at Madrid is full-pene and offering concessions General Blanca is preparing for resistance, and he has recently issued an order for a military census of Cuba and the enlistment of every man between the ages of 19 and 50 "for the defense of the territory." Commanders of districts are required to enroll, organize and arm these reserves at the earliest possible moment and report to him promptly. He has also issued an order for the arming of the garrison of every city and town under Spanish control and has instructed them to report to the local commander. He is taking a census to ascertain the number of horses, mules and oxen on the island and their location in order that they may be seized for military purposes.—William E. Curtis in Chicago Record.

WANAMAKER'S REGIMENT.

He Receives Many Offers For Enrollment and Also to Drill the Men.

John Wanamaker has received several offers from men of military experience to recruit and drill the companies of the regiment which he has promised to raise if needed. The secretary of war notified Mr. Wanamaker recently that as soon as plans are decided on details will be sent to him for his guidance. In various departments of the Wanamaker store men have signed a roll volunteering their services to the United States for military duty. Outside the store hundreds of others have been recruited by mail. Mr. Wanamaker said the other day:

"I do not desire war, and if my way could be arranged by which a compromise would enable us to maintain an honorable peace I would favor it, but it seems that the achievement of war is the only solution apparent. Therefore it is wise, in my opinion, for every available American citizen to volunteer at once and thus present an array of strength that would be impressive.

I only intend to pursue is to push the matter vigorously. Such a course would tend to shorten the war. I believe, therefore, that men should stop to the front and perform their duty as true citizens of a great republic."—New York Sun.

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Itching scalp stopped upon one application of Smith's Dandruff Pomade.

Ice is so cheap you can afford a new refrigerator. New line just in at Donahue, Emmons & Co.'s.

The Placerville Mines. The subscription books of the Placerville Gold Bug Mining Company will be open next Monday. The company's new office is at 1835 Mariposa street. A limited number of shares of the stock will be sold for the present at \$2 per share on monthly installments.

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